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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, Applicant hereby calls to the Examiner's attention the following documents:

Japanese Laid-Open Patent Publication No. HEI 7-177569, which was published on July 14, 1995, together with an English language Abstract of the same;

Japanese Laid-Open Patent Publication No. 2001-16121, which was published on January 19, 2001, together with an English language Abstract of the same;

U.S. Patent No. 5,511,068 to SATO, which issued on April 23, 1996;

Japanese Patent No. 2663716, which issued on June 20, 1997 and is discussed on page 3 of the specification of the present application, together with patent family member International Patent Application Publication No. WO 92/06540, which was published on April 16, 1992; and

U.S. Patent No. 6,477,213 to MIYOSHI et al., which issued on November 5, 2002.

Further to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's decision to waive the requirement under 37 C.F.R. §1.98 (a)(2)(i), copies of the U.S. patents are not enclosed herewith. However, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the above material and cite the same. Copies of the above-noted foreign documents are attached hereto and all of the documents have been listed on the attached PTO-1449 Form. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form and to return a copy of the completed Form to the Applicant with the next official communication in the present application.

Applicant notes that an Office Action on the merits has not issued in the present application, and thus no fee is believed necessary to ensure consideration of the submitted material.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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